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In re Application of

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Minshall, Minshall, Skotzko, Conner

Application No. 10/016.528 :

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For: ANTI-TUMOR VACCINE

: ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition filed October 7, 2004, under 37 CFR 1.182 and MPEP 402.10 requesting intervention by the partial assignee and a separate revocation and appointment of a power of attorney as successor in title to the interest of John Conner.

The petition is granted.

In accordance with MPEP 402.10 and 37 CFR 1.182, the requested revocation of the prior power of John Conner to those counsel of Stetina Brunda Garred & Brucker indicated by customer number 07663, and appointment of those counsel of Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati associated with customer No. 21971 to represent CancerVax as the assignee of the interest of John Conner is **granted** as of the mail date of this decision.

In order to assure that all interests are properly and effectively represented, all further correspondence to the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) in this application--or resultant patent-- must be signed **both** by counsel currently associated with customer No. 7663 and those associated with customer No. 21971 appointed on the combined declaration and power of attorney present on filing, with the exception of maintenance fee payments. One of counsel already of record from customer No, 07663 will also be responsible for coordinating all replies or submissions to the USPTO. See MPEP 402.10. Any registered practitioner signing subsequent papers must indicate whom he or she represents. The correspondence address remains that of customer No. 07663 as given above. It should be noted that the USPTO does not have the ability to recognize more than one customer number at a time for a given application, so inspeciton of PAIR records will not reveal the names or address of counsel for Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati associated with customer No. 21971.

All parties are reminded that dual correspondence is not permitted, and will not be undertaken by the USPTO.

Nevertheless, a courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to counsel for CancerVax.

Telephone inquiries related to this decision should be addressed to the undersigned at

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